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SUBJ: CIVAIR: US-SWITZERLAND CAPACITY CONSULTATIONS

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1. IN CONVERSATION DECEMBER 11, SWISS FEDERAL AIR OFFICE
OFFICIAL (FREI) TOLD EMBOFF GOS VERY HOPEFUL TWA AND
SWISS AIR CAN REACH MUTALLY ACCEPTABLE AGREEMENT ON NORTH
ATLANTIC CAPACITY. FREI INDICATED GOS WOULD MUCH PREFER
HAVE AIRLINES SETTLE PROBLEM WITHOUT GOVERNMENT-TO-GOVERNMENT
TALKS AND THUS WAS RELIEVED AT DEPARTMENT PROPOSAL POSTPONE
DEC. 16 CONSULTATIONS.

2. PROSPECT OF US-SWISS CAPACITY CONSULTATIONS HAS
RECEIVED CONSIDERABLE PRESS COVERAGE IN PAST FEW WEEKS.
MOST ARTICLES DESCRIBE IN SOME DETAIL US TALKS WITH
DUTCH AND TAKE POSITION THAT SWISSAIR HAS REACHED ITS
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PRESENT DOMINANT POSITION DUE HARD WORK AND GOOD

MANAGEMENT. ON DECEMBER 10 SWISS PRESS CARRIED SHORT STATEMENT ISSUED BY FEDERAL COUNCIL THAT SWITZERLAND HAD NOTIFIED USG OF IMPORTANCE IT ATTACHES TO CIVAIR TALKS. DECEMBER 11 EDITION DER BUND HAS STORY ON US-SWISS BILATERAL PROBLEMS WHICH DISCUSSES CAPACITY TALKS, CHEESE PROBLEM, NESTLE ANTI-TRUST CASE, AND SWISS CONSIDERATION OF F5-E PURCHASE. POSTPONEMENT OF CONSULTATIONS HAS NOT YET BEEN MENTIONED IN SWISS PRESS.

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